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In re Application of: Hillman, et al.

Title: HUMAN LEA-MOTIF DEVELOPMENTAL PROTEIN

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Applicants respectfully submit under 37 C.F.R. 1.98(3)(d) that copies of the references are not included herein as copies were previously cited by or submitted to the Office in parent application Serial No. 09/213,391, filed December 15, 1998, which is a divisional of 08/796,676, filed February 6, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,858,712, issued January 12, 1999.

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If there are any questions regarding the above, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at 650-855-0555.

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